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Title: ABSORBENT ARTICLE WITH CENTER FILL PERFORMANCE

Customer No.: 35844

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Examiner: Ginger T. Chapman

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR FILING  
OF RESPONSE UNDER RULE 1.136(a)**

**Mail Stop AF**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Petition is filed with the Amendment in response to the Advisory Action mailed 14 October 2007. The time period for submission of this Amendment was set to expire 14 October 2007.

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I hereby certify that this correspondence (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on

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Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for an extension of time of one (1) month for filing the Amendment in the above-identified application, such extension to expire 14 November 2007, which time is within the statutory period. The Fee set in Rule 1.17 for the above-period is enclosed.

If any additional extension of time for the accompanying response is required, applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor. If there is any deficiency or overage in the Fee required for any required extension of time, please charge or credit Deposit Account No. 19-3550. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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